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## RUSSIA.

*Report from Libau—Status of cholera in Russia—Smallpox in St. Petersburg—Examination of emigrants.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon De Forest reports, July 24:

Cholera in Russia from July 17 to 23, inclusive: St. Petersburg, 526 cases, 234 deaths; 800 cases present in the city. Russia general, 164 cases, 73 deaths, of which Archangel had 89 cases with 51 deaths and Riga 34 cases with 12 deaths.

Cholera is present in Archangel, Riga, Tver, Kreutzburg, Polotzk, Mahlgraben, Cronstadt, Vjatka, Onega, Pinega, Drissa, Kostroma, Reval, Muravjevo, Moscow, Novgorod, Schaulen, and Radsiwilischki.

One cholera case reported from Konigsberg, Germany, of an American returning from Japan through Russia.

Smallpox is present in St. Petersburg, with from 6 to 11 cases occurring daily. July 23, 11 cases occurred; between July 20 and 23 there occurred 35 cases.

For steamship *Birma*, for New York, I have examined to date 241 emigrants. None have come from places at which cholera is reported present.

## ST. LUCIA ISLAND.

*Reports from Castries—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Sanitary conditions.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Maylie reports, July 19 and 26:

Week ended July 17. Vessels inspected, 4; fumigated, 4.

Week ended July 24. Vessels inspected, 3; fumigated, 1. Sanitary condition of this port and vicinity good. No quarantinable diseases exist.

## TRINIDAD.

*Report from Port of Spain—Fatal plague case.*

Vice-Consul Kirton reports, July 19:

A fatal case of plague occurred July 18, in the person of a white man who had lived in the colony about eight years. All of the contacts have been removed to the isolation hospital.

## TURKEY IN ASIA.

*Report from Mersine—Epidemic smallpox in the interior.*

The following information, received from Consul Nathan at Mersine, is forwarded by Surgeon Geddings at Naples, under date of July 19:

Epidemic smallpox prevails in the interior, notably at Hadjin. No measures are being taken to check the spread of the disease.